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July 1, 1895.

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By Order of the Directors, VILLA, LOPEZ & Co.,

Honglong, August 27, 1895.

THE PUNJOM MINING COMPANY,

LIMITED.

NTOTICE is hereby given that at a Meeting of the Drectors of this Connaught House, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, the 2nd August, 1895, a FINAL CALL of TWEN-TY-FIVE CENTS per Share was made upon all MEMBERS holding Ordinary Shares of the Company, and that the same will be PAYABLE to the Secretary at the Office Yokohamit, Lank, Chaweord & Co., of the Company aforesaid, or to Messrs, SYME & Co., the Company's Agents at Singapore, on or before TUESDAY, 3rd September, 1895.

And Notice is also given that, in accordance with Clause 24 of the Company's Articles of Association, if the sum Payable in respect of a y CALL be NOT PAID on or before the said 3nd SEPTEM-BER 1895, thổ Holder for the time being of the Share in respect of which the Call shall have been made shall pay INTEREST 1214 for the same, at the rate of TEN DOLLARS PER CENTUM per annum from the said 3rd September 1895, to the time of the actual payment. SHAREHOLDERS are requested to note that

Scrip must be sent in when paying CALLS, in Order that such Payments may be endorsed thereon. By Order of the Directors,

JAMES B. DUNCAN, Secretary. Hongkoug, August 2, 1895.

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STEAMSHIP AFRIDI,

FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, MID-

DLESBOROUGH AND STRAITS.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby in-"formed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of Godown Co., at Kowloon, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless Phorosed Salling FROM Hongkong, 1895. notice to the contrary be given before 5 p.m. To-DAY. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods JOHNSON, STOKES & MASTER, remaining undelivered after the 2nd Prox. I will be aubject to ront.

> presented to the Undersigned on or before the 2nd Proxime, or they will not be re-All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 2nd Prox., at 3 p.m.

All Claims against the Steamer must be

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, August 24, 1895.

CHAN A-TONG. MOAL MERCHANT, V No. 5, ARRENAL STREET, EAST. Buriners Office | No. 21, Guman Street. Steamers.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAI, CHEFOO AND NEWOHWANG. The Co.'s Steamship

Capt. R. Y. ANDERSON, will be despatched as bove on FRIDAY, the 30th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General-Managers. Hongkong, August 28, 1895.

GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS. FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. The Steamship

Captain Munray, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 31st Instant, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, August 28, 1895. FOR MANILA (DIRECT). The Steamship

Captain Means, will be despatched for the above Port on SATURDAY, the 31st Instant, at The attention of Passengers is directed

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VILLA, LOPEZ & Co., Hongkong, August 27, 1895. NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE

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rates to PERSIAN GULF and BAGDAD. The Steamship Letimbro,
Capt. Dr Marco, will be
despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 3rd September, at Noon.
At Bombay the Steamore are discharging in Vactoria Dock.

For further Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co., Hongkong, August 24, 1895.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

CALCUTTA. The Co,'s Steamship Captain R. Cass. will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 3rd September, at 3 pan. For Freight or Passage, apply to

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FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL The Steamship Captain Norman, will be despatched as above on or about TUESDAY, the 3rd September.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, August 10, 1895. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

FOR MARSEILLES. (Taking Cargo through to HAVRE and

The Co.'s Steamship Dordogne. Capt. A. Blanc, will be despatched as above on or about the 8th September. For Freight, apply to

C. TOURNAIRE. Acting Agent. Hongkong, August 24, 1895.

THE OREGON RAILWAY AND NAVIGATION COMPANY'S PACIFIC STEAMSHIP

LINE. CHINA AND JAPAN.

(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION,) Mount Lebanon | Saturday ... | 14th Sept. Allmore. ..... Tuesday .... | 15th Oct. TAKING PASSENGEES AND CARGO FOR UNITED STATES AND CANADA AT THROUGH RATES. The Steambhip

Mount Lebanon will be despatched bence for PORTLAND, ORE-CON. via KOBE and YOKOHAMA, on SATURDAY, the Title September. Consular Invoice of Goods for United States Points should be to QUADRUPLICATEL and one Copy must be sent forward by the Steamer to the care of the Gamanal

FREIGHT AGENT, Oregon Railway and Navigation Co., Portland, Oregon, For further information as to Passage and Preight, apply to BREWAN & Own

Hongkong, August 24, 1836,

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMSHIP OLDENBURG.

rived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby | o'clock p.m., on the Premisus, informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kow-LOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LTD., Kowleon, whence delivery may be obtained. OPTIONAL CARGO will go on to Shanghai unless notice to the contrary be given before

this afternoon, at 4 p.m. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 4th Sept. will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on WEDNERDAY, the 4th September, at 3 p.m. All Claims must reach us before the 6th

September, or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by MELCHERS & Co.,

Hongkoug, August 28, 1895. GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS. FROM ANTWERP, LONDON AND

STRAITS. THE Steamship Glenshiel having arrived from the above Ports. Consigness of Cargo by her are hereby informed that ROW (FRIDAY), the 30th Instant, at Daytheir Goods are being landed at their risk light. into the Godowns of the Honokong and

KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN Co., LTD., at Kowloon, whence delivery may be ob-Cargo remaining undelivered after the 30th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consignees are requested to present all Claims for damages and/or shortages not

later than the 6th Proximo, otherwise they will not be recognized. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, August 23, 1895. FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

ITHE Steamship Niobe, Capt. F. Jägen, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 4 p.m. To-DAY.

Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Hong-KONG& KOWLOON WHARF& GODOWN Co., LD., and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 2nd Sept., will be subject to reut.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 2nd Sept., at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected. SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, August 26, 1895.

COMPANY, LIMITED. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND

ffile Company's S.S. Chelydra having

arrived from the above Ports, Consigness of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from **a**longside. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after 4 p.m. of the 28th Inst.,

will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into Godowns at East Point, No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hopgkong, August 26, 1895.

Intimations.

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'l'o-day's Advertisements.

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THE above-named Steamer having ar- the 16th day of September, 1895, at 3 THE VALUABLE LEASEHOLD

PROPERTY, being Nos. 49, 51, 53, 15 and 57, PEEL STREET, Nos. 28, 30 and 32, STAUNTON STREET, and Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, George's Lane, Victoria, Hongkong, and registered in the LAND OFFICE, so INLAND LOT No. 101.

For Particulars and Conditions of Sale. JOHNSON, STOKES & MASTER, SUPREME COURT HOUSE.

Solicitors. or to the Undersigned, J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Auctioncer. Hongkong, August 29, 1895.

LIMITED. FOR SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, SAMA-RANG AND SOURABAYA.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,

The Steamship Captain Everier, will be despatched TO-MOR-

For Freight, or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, August 29, 1895.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,

LIMITED. FOR MANILA (DIRECT).

The Steamship Sunakiana. Captain C. B. N. Dopp, will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 31st instant, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents. Hongkong, August 29, 1895.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship Nestor,
Capt. Asquith, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 31st Instant. Rate of Freight on Matting and General Cargo 25/. per ton of 40 cubic feet. For Freight, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, August 29, 1895.

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Cargo will not be received on board after For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to SANDER & Co.,

Hongkong, August 29, 1895.

THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR LONDON, VIA PORTS OF CALL. The Co.'s Steamship R. Conradi, Commander, will be despatched as above on or about the 20th Beptember.

instead of as previously notified. For Freight or Passage, apply to

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co., Agents.

Hougkong, August 29, 1895.



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pany's Bills of Lading. For turther Particulars, apply to

ALF. WOOLLEY, Acting Superintendent. ', & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, August 29, 1895,

Jassus Advirtised as Logitar. Destinatio Vessels. Hate o Leavin Baltimore ............ Fred. P. Litchfield .... Melchers & Co ........ Quick despatch. Kobé and Yokohama. Glenearn (s)...........Jardine, Matheson&Co Aug. 31, at 4 p m. London, v. Suez Cana Glenavon (s)...........Jardine, Matheson&Co About Sept. 3. London v. Suez Cana Diomed (8)...... Butterfield & Swire... September 10. London, H'by & A'wp Carmarthenshire (s)... Dodwell, Carlill & Co. About Sept. 22. Manila ...... Sungkiang (s) ...... Butterfield & Swire ... Aug. 31, at 4 p.m. Marseilles & London. Beng I (8) ...... P. & O. S. N. Co..... Nuon, Sept. 12. NewYork, v. SuezCana Nestor (a ..... Butterfield & Swire August 31. New York .......... Goo. S. Homer ....... Arnhold, Karberg &C . Quick despatch. New York......Quick despatch. New York ...... Sim Skolfield ...... Siemssen & Com Quick despatch. Portland (Oregon)..... Mount Labanon (s).... Shewan & Co........ September 14.
S. Franc sco. v. Japa City of Peking (s)...... Pacific Mail S. S. C. Sept. 7. at noon. 

"3-18 y's Advertisements.

FOR HAVRE, HAMBURG AND ANTWERP.

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Captain Ossorne, will
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Hongkong, August 29, 1895. Not Responsible for Debts.

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GEO. F. MANSON, American barque, Capt. Crack. - Chinese.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. August 28:--

Letimbro, Italian steamer, 1,417, M. D. Marco, Bombay and Singapore August 22, General. -CARLOWITZ & Co. Leeynen, Chinese steamer, 619, A. A. 1498 Crawford, Shanghai August 25, General.

C. M. S. N. Co. Nanyang, German steamer, 983, F. Schulz, Chefoo August 21, General, --SIEMSSEN & Co.

August 29:-Kiving Lee, Chinese str., from Canton. The French Contract Packet Oxus will Fooksung, British steamer, from Canton. Choysing, British str., 1,194, L. H. Tamplin, Shanghai August 25, and Swatow 28, General .- JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hupeh, British steamer, 1,846, Everist,

Swatow August 28, General.—BUTTERFIELD DEPARTURES. August 29 :-

Robilla, for Europe, &c. Belmout for New York. Continental, for Cebu. Zatiro, for Manile. Conton, for Swatow. Legmen, for Canton. Nanyang, for Canton. Choysang, for Canton,

CLEARED Niobe, for Yokohama, Irene, for Shanghai. Guthrie, for Macao and Sydney.

PASSENGERS. ARRIVED. Per Letimbro, from Sing ip iro, 90 Chinese. Per Leeynen, from Shanghai, 9 Chinese. Per Cho sang, from Shanghai, &c., Me

nd Mrs Glassey and child, and 187 Chi-Per Hupch, from Swatow: for Straits,

110 Chinese. DEPARTED.

Per Belmont, for New York, 2 Europeans. Per Continental, for Cebu, 8 Chinese. Per Canton, for Swatow, 200 Chinese.

TO DEPART. Per Niobe, for Yokohama, 1 European. Per Guthrie, for Sydney, &c., Miss Stovens, Mr and Mrs Seton Lindsoy, Masters Lindsay (2). Mrs Skertchley. Miss and Mascer Skorichiey.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The Chinese steamer Leeyuen reports:

Had strong N E'ly winds and rainy weather | bank notes, coin, or jewellery, and, where to Cup-chi Point; thence to port, light N.E. Registration has been neglected, will MAKE NO winds and fine weather. The German steamer Nanyang reports: Left Chefoo on 24th August, 4 s.m., fine clear weather, fresh North wind to Turnabout; from thence to Hongkoog, squally weather, N.N.E. wlod fresh. Arrived at

Hongkong on 28th August, at 10.30 p.m. Had fine weather throughout, The British steamer Hupeh reports; mails, up to half an hour before, Had fresh N.E. winds and rainy, squally weather to Pedro Blanco; thence to port, N.E. wind and fine clear weather.

EXPORT CARGOES.

Per a. s. Orestes, sailed 14th August :-For London, 1,683 boxes Tes, containing General Post Office up to 11.80 a.m. and 3.80 35,343 lbs. Congou, 10,342 b xes Tea, containing 217,184 lbs. Scented Caper, 311 boxes Tes, containing 6,531 lbs. Scented Orange Pekoe, 283 half-chests Tea, containing 11.320 lbs. Sorts-total 12,619 pkgs. containing 270,376 lbs. Tea.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-For SHANGHAL CHEFUO & NEW the 12 and 8.80 o'clock trams only. Corres-CHWANG.

the 30th inst. For SINGAPORE & NEW YORK,-For Nestor, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the Cap, Victoria Gap, Mount Kellett, Mount Gough, 30th inst., instead of as previously and Plantation Road, which will be cleared at MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping.

Daylight, - Hupch leaves for S'baya, &c. Noon, -Ancona leaves for Japan. 4 p.m.-Fooksang leaves for S'hai, &c. Miscellaneous.

Goods per Glenshiel undelivered after this date subject to rent.

General Memoranda. Monday, September 2 :-Goods per Niebe undelivered after this date subject to rent.

9 p.m.-Meeting of Zetland Lodge. Tuesday, September 3 :--Final Call of 25 Cents on Shares of The Punjom Mining Co., Ld., due. WEDNESDAY, September 4 :-

Noon.-Auction of Sundries at H. M. Naval Yard. this date subject to rent. FRIDAY, September 13:-3 p.m -Auction of Leasehold Property,

by Mr J. M. Armstrong. MONDAY, September 16:-3 p.m.-Auction of Leasehold Property by Mr J. M. Armstrong's.

as follows :-

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The History of Hongkong. The Triad Society, or Heaven and Earth Association. Notes on the Exercism of Spirits in Korea Lockhart's Manual of Chinese Quotations.

The Old Chinese I auguage. Miscellaneous Notes. Books Wanted, Exchanges, &c. To Contributors.

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THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY, HONGKONG.

The publication of the serve commenced postal servants from Home. If the at 6.45 p.m.

mind that the Singapore letters dis-

sideration for the amiable gentleman

Travers's absence, this public depart-

certainly one of the worst conducted

delay, probably without adequate re-

sult, and it is also possible that

the Government's legal advisers, while

certain that a systematic theft of letters

the defaulter referred to in the annual

the serious nature of his crime, he

should have been ignomiciously dis-

missed instead of being permitted to

in the interval, then there is a strong

Post Office whose presence there is a

constant source of danger. So long as

the Consular Offices, no specific charge

could be made anywhere by the

admit all that; the point we wish to

make is that this letter was stolen some-

was foolish to post money in Hong-

kong, we admit the Post Office is not

responsible, as an institution, for the

taches to the Postmaster General, who

is as anxious as any consciontious

ciples and above suspicion. But we

two months or more to reach an address

puragraph from the annual report of the Postmaster General for 1894, in which it was stated that 'during the should be above suspicion. At present, year it was found that more than 50 it is not above suspicion. registered letters, originating for the most part from the Straits Settlements, had been, during the previous year, lost or misappropriated in transit' through the Hongkeng Post Office, that no prosecution was instituted, and that the greater part of the indemnities claimed by senders was paid by the father of the clerk Goods per Oldenburg undelivered after to whom the losses were traced, and who was permitted to resign from the service. Since the publication of the paragraph, we have received several indignant protests. Some of these letters contained severe strictures on the Hongkong Post Office; one correspondent wanted to know why a felony bad

Murex, Ceylon, 13. been compounded. We do not know the special circumstances of the particular case referred to in Mr Travers's report, but we think our correspondent ought to give the present officials credit for desiring to maintain the purity of the public service as earnestly as any

member of the community. In the The N. P. s. S. Evendale, from Tacoma, left Yokohama on the 23th inst. for Hen, kong, appeared while the Postmaster General was on leave, at a period when, to put it as mildly as we can out of con-

Nagasaki, on the 29th inst. who presided over the Post Office in Mr | The N. P. s. s. Victoria sailed from Victoria to Yokohama on the 21st instant, ment was little short of a scandal, and The O. and O. s.s. Belgic, with mails, etc., left San Francisco for Hongkong, via

Rougkong on the 27th inst.

The P. & O. s.s. Bombay left Bombay for this port on the 19th inst. The P. and O. steamer Canton left London for this port on August 4.

The P. & O. s.s. Shanghai loft London for this port on the 24th inst. report. At the same time considering Tun P. & O. s. s. Shanghai left London for

has been an improvement. Still, there are complaints. The letter we publish The Austrian Lloyd's s. s. Gisela left Kobe elsewhere shows that the evil has not for this port at 3 p.m. yesterday. been eradicated. A letter has been

letter was posted, and we can safely say there is no reason to doubt the truth of THE P. M. s. s. City of Peking, with mails,

Deuteros, Amur, Tigris, Nagoya Maru. he remains there, we scarcely see how Cosmopolitan-Chun Shan, Tsinan. Aberdeen-(none).

sular Offices between Singapore and Wodehouse. doubt many letters have been lost Captain F. L. Lloyd, R.E., who was re-

either in Hongkong, in transit, or at cently in Hongkong, has been appointed assistant instructor in submarine mining at aggrieved persons who were the losers Piyn outh. AT Magazine Gap last night, Mr Drury, of

it never got there. Of course, it may be Coroner Wright, of the Salvation Arms, said that no one should forward money and his party of thirteen officers, who are by post. The Post Office accepts no on their way to hombard Japan and to plant the flag of the Salvation Army there, will hold a Salvation Army demonstration

In the police court yesterday a Portuguese young man charged a Chinese woman with and placed on board ship at Hongkong it cannot be proved that the money was creating a disturbance and using abusive stolen by a particular clerk in the language. His evidence was She said a Hongkong Post Office, we admit that lot of words which I could not understand; not the slightest shadow of blame at- I am sure they must have been bid words!" Where is Dr Johnson with his 'melanopublic servant can be to have his De- chroite tetrahedron' and the Billingsgate partment conducted on the best prin- fishwife?

> think it will be admitted on the other Come. Hastings has at last accomplished a hand that the mere fact that a letter work which has long been wanted by those contained money is no reason why it who use Hongkong burbour—the lighting of should be confiscated by some needy the fairway. This is, of course, most useful ment service. It may be that the let- to the river steamers; but it is also of very ter has not been stolen, that it is merely great benefit to the general shipping comon a tour round the Colony and will be munity. These practical improvements, one delivered some day to its rightful after another, show what can be done by a owner. In which case, would the Post Government Department undermanned, if

> in Hongkong. When the previous guest of a millionaire. An American, the outcry was made against the Post son of an American millionaire and Office, it was suggested in the China politician and a young man of thirty, gave Mail that there should be a complete on Thursday night a farewell dinner to his change in the personnel of the staff. Paris friends in a fashionable restaurant of The frequent appearance of members | the Bois de Boulogne. One of the primary of the then staff in the Supreme Court Paris correspondent of the Daily News) to endeavour to come to terms with their was to show that money was no object to creditors looked ominous and ought to the host. There were twenty-two guests. have acted as a warning to the higher Each one was supplied by the host with a the introduction of Britishers into the and back. The dinner, or rather gorge, Post Office staff. Without casting as- showed aplendid disregard of cost. Each persions on the men at present employed son, a whole salmon, a truffied fowl; a berthere, whether they are Portuguese of ket of peaches, and a double magnum of Chinose, sympathising as we must with shampagne, besides bottles of other fine the innocent who will suffer with the wines. At dessert, a bag was passed guilty, we are of opinion that more round, from which each guest was asked

> make-shift of transferring man from Pranorouses tuned-Singly or by yearly other Government Departments it would | contract-High olass work-W. Robinson

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THE Steamship BENGAL, Captain

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Com-

S'nai, C'fon & N'chwang Fooksang (a)....... Jardine, Matheson & Co Aug. 30, at 4 p.m.

S'pore, P'nang & B'bay Latimbro (a)...... Carlowi'z & Co....... Sept. 3 at noon, Spore, Penang & Ct. Ohelydra (a) ...... Jardine, Matheson & On Sept. 3, at 3 p.m. Vanadian P'fic R. Co., Sept. 4 at noon, Victoria (B.C.), & .... V.ctori (s) ......................... Nor. Phe S. & R. Con Sept. 17, at noon. POST OFFICE NOTICES.

> MAILS will close:--For MANILA .-Per Sungkiang, at 3.30 p.m., on Saturday, . the 31st inst. For KOBE & YOKOHAMA,---

Par Glenearn, at 3.30 p.m., on Saturday, the 31st inst. For HOIHOW, SINGAPORE & BANG. KOK. Per Thra Navy, at 8.30 a.m., on Sunday,

the 1st Sept.

'A.M. Regis ry closes.

For STRAITS & BOMBAY .--Per Letimbro, at 11.30 n.m., on Tuesday, the 3rd Sept. 1469 For SINGAPORE, PENING & CAL-CUTTA -Per Chelydra, at 2.30 p.m., on Tuesday,

the 3rd Sept. For SINGAPORE & LONDON .-Per Glenavon, at 3.30 p.m., on Tuesday, the 3rd Sep ember.

MAILS BY THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAIL-WAY Co.'s PACKET. -The Canadian Pacific Mail Packet Empress | Notes and Queries, of India will be despatched on WED. NESDAY, the 4th Sept., with Mails for Shanghai, Japan, the United States, | Notices of New Books, Canada, &c., which will be closed Collectanea Bibliographic t. as follows :-

pondence may be posted on board the Packet with the Late Fce of 10 cents extra Postage, until time of departure, A. D. Correspondence sent on board must be handed to a Post Office official who will remain on board till time of departure. The officers of the steamer are not allowed to receive such correspondence. MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. --

be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 4th Sept., with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, vid Marseilles; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Coylon, Madras, the Australasian Colonies, Aden, Natal and the Cape, Egypt Malta, and Gibraltar. usual hours will be observed in

closing the Mails, &c. MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. -The United States Mail Packet City of Peking will be despatched on SATUR-DAY, the 7th Sept., with Mails for Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows :--

11.00 AM. Registry ceases. 11 30 A.M. Post-Office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet, with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage, until the time of departure. HOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS.

When the Puckets leave at Noon. The following hours will be observed in closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the English and French Packets, when they leave at Noon. The Money Order Office will be closed at 5 the day before. 8.00 A.M.-Posting of Prices Current and Circulars ceases.

(Prices Current and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are fied in bundles, country by country, with the addresses all one way). 10.00 A.M.—Registry ceases.

10.30 A.M.-Posting of Newspapers, Books, and Patterns ceases. 11.00 A.M.-Mail closes. LATE LETTERS may be posted (from 11.10 A.M.) with 10 cents late fee up to 11.30 A.M., after which hour they may be sent on Board with the same Late

MONEY LETTERS.-The Post Office decline al

responsibility for unregistered Letters containing

ENQUINIES into alleged losses of such letters Post Guido, Par 501. REGISTRATION. -- Correspondence, can be registered for all Private Ship mails up to five minutes before the time for closing; for the Shangbai, or Yokohama contract mails, up to a kept ready in Stock :quarter of an hour before; for mails for Europe, The British steamer Choysang reports : &c., up to an hour before : American, Canadians Indian, Northern Pacific and Torres Strait,

Local Delivenies .- Separate Boxes have

been provided for posting Correspondence for

the Town, Kowoon and the Peak. The Boxes

are under the Window at the East end of the LITHIA WATER Verandah facing Queen's Read. Letters, parcels, &c., for Kowleon Point and Steamers in Harbour may be posted in the p.m. Letters from Kowloon Point may be posted in the Letter Box which has been placed in the Police Compound outside the Charge Room up to 12 and 4 o'clock, and in the Pillar Box at the Wharf. Local Rates will be charged. To avoid robbery, senders of letters from Kowloon are requested to cancel their stamps by writing the word stamped across them. Covers containing Bank Notes, do a should be registered. No Sunday delivery.

Letters, do, for the Peak will be delivered by

pondence and Parcels for the Paak may be posted Per Fooksang, at 9.30 p.m., on Friday. in the General Post Office up to 11.80 a.m. or 8 A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED, p.m. or in the letter boxes in the care till time of departure. With regard to letters from the Peak, Piller boxes have been placed at Magazine 18.80 aud 4 p.m.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.

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Hongkong, June 1, 1895

present salaries are not sufficient, we do not think the general community would object to additional expenditure in the Post Office Department if it was likely to conduce to greater security and a more satisfactory service. As the De-HONGKONG, THURSDAY, AUGUST 29, 1895.

partment with which the community is brought into closest contact and the Some few days ago we published a Department where dishonesty may lead to most serious losses to business firms as well as private individuals, the Post Office LOCAL AND GENERAL. PASSED SUEZ CANAL. OUTWARD BOUND :-- Africa, Kirklands, July 23 : Germania. Federation, 30 ; Guildhall, Ariel, Alb ngia, August 2; Benlariy, Friqga, 9. HOMEWARD BOUND: - Juva, July 26; Chingwo, August 2; Polypheneus, Strathleven, 6: Benlomond, Turbo, 9; Irene,

The P. M. s.s. City of Peking, with mails, etc., from San Francisco to the 3rd inst, left Nagazaki on Wednesday, the 28th instant, at 8 p.m., and may be expected here on Sunday, the 1st Sept. the M. M. Co.'s s. r. Melbourne, with the FRENCH MAIL of the 2nd August, left Singapore on Wednesday, August 28, at 8 s.m., and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 3rd Sept. This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on June 26

The P. M. s.s. China, with mails, etc., from Sin Francisco to the 13th inst., leaves Yokobama for Hungkong, via

Departments in the public service. Any Yokohuma and Nagasaki, on the 24th prosecution instituted now would be accompanied by infinite trouble and The Empress of Japan left Vancouver for

had been going on, were unable to bring the accused into Court because of the The P. & O. s.s. Formosa left London for insufficiency of evidence. We offer this port on the 19th inst. these as the best excuses we can think of for the determination not to prosecute

this port on the 24th instant. resign from the service. Since the The Silk ex Empress of Japan was delivered return of the Postmaster General there in New York on the 26th instant.

Co., posted in Hongkong within the last Ma Justice Leach has been administering a month or two and has not yet retuke to the Police Magistrates at Sinreached its destination. Accepting gapore,

his statement, and assuming there has &c., arrived at Nagasaki, and left for this been no change in the Post Office staff port yesterday, the 28th instant, at 8 p.m. presumption that there is a thief in the Vessels in the Doors :- At Kowloon-

the Postmaster General should 127 chat 'I have complete confidence in the stuff at present under my control in this Ar the Magistracy this morning the keepers Office.' We have also received com- of two filthy bakehouses in Upper Lascar plaints regarding letters sent to Con- Row were fined \$25 each by Mr H. E. Shangbai, but although there is no

by the disappearance of the letters. In the case of the complaint rethe Public Work Department, killed a ferred to by our present correspon dent there can be less dubiety as to large snake, which he has presented to the where the letter went. It was posted in City Hall Museum. . Hongkong to a Hongkong address, and

where after being posted in the Hong- in the Wesleyan Church, to-night, comkong Post Office. We admit that it mencing at 8 p.m.

Office escape blame entirely? It should quantity is replaced by quality.

Englishmen should be employed in the to draw a keepaske, goneieting of emerald Post Office, in fact that a radical change links, pearl study, eigerstte-cases in gold be made, and instead of adopting the inlaid with jewels, and similar trifles.

1035 | be far better to engage properly-trained and Co.

final settlement the following modification of the terms of Military Contribution as proposed in Secretary of State's despatch No. | also present Mesare Goo. Fenwick, J. Or-201 of 28th June, 1895.

long as their share, ' towards the cost of the eystem which has been organised for the detence of the Empire' and not as, 'towards | Tomes, and C. H. Grace. the Colony's military defence 'only.

(2.) The percentage payable on Revenue shall be 20%.

(3.) This payment shall be inclusive of Barracks and everything, so that there shall be no extras of any kind.

(4.) The Revenue on which this percentage is to be fixed shall be the total gross revenue of Singapore, Penang, and Malacoa of one-year, less premia on land and less raimbursements and interest.

(5.) Revenue of the year preceding the year in which the estimates are made up shall always be the revenue from which the account navable for tollowing year shall be ascerlained.

A MEDICAL correspondent sends us a copy of the British Medical Journal containing an interesting srticle on 'Food Poisoning,' a subject which is receiving a great deal of attention in medical circles in England. Reference is made to the Limerick Convent case mentioned by us two days ago. The conclusions of the Journal might well be taken into serious consideration in Hongkong, where climatic conditions render neceasary a strict supervision of the food supply. The fellowing is the closing paragraph:-

'The number of food poisoning cases during the hot weather has again been great. Among the articles of food suspected in the various instances we may mention (a) tinned potted meat (27 persons suffered, with death), (b) tinned tomatoes, (c) exposed ment (several fatal cases), (d) brawn (a common offender), (e) food kept for a few days. Most verdicts and with the clause. But no blame was attached to anyone.' This is just enough, so long as we are ignorant of the processes leading to the fermation of ptomaines and other poisonous bodies. People, however, should realise the danger of eating any but fresh meat, especially during the hot season. Some of the 'scraps' which butchers sell later in the day or later in the week are disgusting in appearance, and it does not seem right to tempt even the poorest to consume such stuff. Fishmongers also are not careful enough in their liberality towards the poor; a tainted fish is a dangerous gift. An adequate food inspection is a most difficult problem, but surely it is easy erough to put a stop to obvious errors by strict prohibition.'

Organ showrooms to Connaught Houselarge stock-low prices.

Modern Society save: - Passage allowthe public . . . —Sir C. B. Mitchell, who made room for Sir Hely Hutchinson at Natal also received £450 on his appoint ment. When removed to the Governorship of the Straits Settlements £600 was paid him for expenses... A like sum was also paid to Sir C. C. Smith, another Governor of the same Settlements.' \_\_\_

the unusual hour of midnight. In those match was finished it was broad daylight, to the lowest grade; at anyrate the Post On Wednesday and Thursday evenings, Office should, again, foursomes were play by other enthusiastic players. Golf at midnight is a done to get the thieves detected, and some thing, we imagine, possible to no other attempt made to put in honest men!olub in the kingdom. -Shelland News.

CYCLING appears to be having a great effect upon feminine costume in France. When (says the Daily Telegraph's Paris correspondent) first a woman, is order to ride a biovole, appeared in a short petticoat, she was stared out of conntenance; but to day, in all the crowd of lady riders who may be seen in the Bois de Boulogne, or threading their way amidst the thickest of traffic. say at the corner where the Grand Boulevards debouch in front of the Madeleine into the Rue Royale, one seldom sees even a The Zonave knickerbookers, worn in combination with a blouse, or a network iersev, are now everywhere to be seen and the latest tailor-made costumes have lost the fulness which orginally was considered indispensable. The innovation does not end here. It is quite an ordinary thing for a woman to frequent the cafes in cycling dress when there is every indication that she has never entitled herself to the privilege of emancipating herself from the attire of her Workgirls are adopting the fashion.

An idea of the extraordinary rush and confusion owing to the iron-clad Chan-wuen being visited by multitudes of people may suaded him to return to school in order be gathered from the following police reword, prepared by the Yokosuka Police Scholarships which had just then been Station, which refers to a period of five started, for a higher education in England. days, during which time 176,891 persons In 1887, he carried off the 2nd Scholarship, visited the ship :- Those reprimended by and proceeded to Edinburgh to study Medithe police, 2.781 males and 364 females; | cine. That he succeeded in the particular Taken to the Police Station on account of branch of knowledge which he had chosen is quarrels, 216 males and 22 females : cases of evidenced by the fact that he was awarded drunkenness, 72 persons; Help given in the several valuable diplomas by the Medical difficulty of traffic, on 57 occasions: Roads College of Edinburgh, notably one in Midcleansed on 127 occasions & Sale of injurious | wifery. On his return to Singapore, he food and beverages prohibited, on 250 has not only been distinguishing himself in occasions; Carriages and other vehicles assisted in collisions and other accidents. on 2,40; occasions ! Attention called to a mad dog, on one occasion; Money ploked up, 33,22 gen; Articles picked up 92; Warnings against losses through careless. ness on 1,280 occasions | Miscellangous. 12.963. How much all this taxed the energy of the police is beyond imagination. -Japan Ganette.

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An Extraordinary General Meeting of was held in the offices of Mesars Shewan This Council respectfully recommends as and Co., Praya Central, this afternoon. Mr R. Shewan presided, and there were ange (Consulting Committee), R. K. Leigh, (1.) The Contribution is paid by the Co- A. G. Morris, S. S. Benjamin, R. C. Wilcox, A. G. Stoker, G. H. Potta, C. A.

> The notice calling the meeting having been read, the Chairman proposed confirmation of the following resolution passed at | hoisted. an extraordinary meeting of the company on the 12th August last ;-

'That the Capital of the Company berreduced from \$1,000 000, divided into 20,000 Shares of \$50 each, to \$200,000, divided into 20,000 Shares of \$10 ench, and that such reduction be effected by cancelling Capital which has been lost or is unrepresented by available assets to the extent of \$40 per Share on each of the 14.117 Shares which have been issued and are now outstanding, and by reducing the nominal amount of all the Shares in the Company's Capital from \$50 to \$10 per Share.'

Agreed unanimously.

Mr S. E. Benjamin seconded.

This was all the business.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

[Supplied to the 'China Mark.']

London, August 27, 1895. GERMANY AND THE MISSIONARY RIOTS.

It is reported that the German Government has instructed its Minister and the Consuls in China to protect the Foregin Mission to the utmost extent, and to summon German war ships the moment that any disorder is threatened.

RUSSIA AND MONTENEGRO. Russia has presented Montenegro with a large quantity of war material.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

HONGKONG POST OFFICE.

To the Editor of the 'CHINA MAIL.' Hongkong, Aug. 28.

Sir. - Kindly allow me space in your

against the Hongkong Post Office.

A short time ago, I found it necessary to send through the Post Office, a sum of money to a friend residing in Hongkong. As the Post Office was closed I did not register the cover in which it was sent, so posted it in the night box. The cover or Owing to increase of Business, W. Robin- | money in question never reached its destison and Co. have removed their Piano and Instion, and the first intimation I had friend, and from him I received the in- of any stipulation to the contrary the re- do you know how?-I was not present. formation that he had not received the gular holidays of the place would hold good. Have you been told ?-Mr Tarabachia letter and money. I then went to the Post Office and saw the Postmaster General who ances to colonial bigwigs on appointment told me that as I had not registered the or retirement is terribly expensive work for letter the Post Office was not responsible; and that I had no redress. I argued the matter with him, and pointed out that even if registered the letter might probably have gone astray. He promised to have the matter investigated, and few days after I got a reply stating he could give no information relating to the missing cover. Now, in his statement to me, he said that the clerks could tall by the feel of the letter what it contained (a Bank note). I What may be regarded as an event alto- read in the China Mail some days back. gether unique in the annals of gelf took that several registered letters had been place at Lorwick, when four members of missed, and that a certain clerk had been the Shetland Golf Club engaged in a four- allowed to pay up the missing amounts some on the Club's course at Anasbrue at | and also allowed to resign : no prosecution took place and from what I can gather none northern latitudes at the present time there is likely to take place. If, then, registered. is practically no night. A game of golf at | letters go astray to the number of 50 what what may be described as the 'uncarthly' protection is there in registering a letter? hour of midnight was, therefore, possible The chance is about equal to non-regisof accomplishment. The first ball was tration. The opinions expressed by 'Andriven off from the tee at five minutes to other Victim' in your evening contempotwelve, and a full round of eighteen holes | rary are strongly endorsed by me. and I was played, the match terminating at 2.30. | should think every right-thinking Britisher. Although the course is a somewhat hilly I will not reiterate what has been said one, abounding in dyke hazards, not the there, but will just say that as we are under slightest difficulty was experienced in find | the British flag and in a British Colony. ing the balls, the longest drives being easily and under what is supposed to be a British seen. Shortly after twelve o'clock the lark | Government, every department should be was heard in full song, and by the time the administered by Britishers from the highest

In conclusion I would sak, can nothing be

ONE MORE VICTIM.

HONOUR TO WHOM HONOUR IS

To the Editor of the 'Unina Mait.'

Hongkong, 29th August, 1895. gratification from your issue of last night, that my old friend and school mate, Dr Lim Boon Keng, has now been offered and has accepted a seat in the Legislative Council if the Straits Settlements.

Perhaps it may not be out of place here to give a brief aketch of the brilliant career of this still comparatively young but promising member of the Chinese community

He was born of poor parents and received his early education at the Ruffles Institution. Singapore—the school which has produced, and is still producing, many prominent members of various nationalities in the cosmopolitan community of Singapore. In 1886. Lim Boon Keng, for some reason or other, left school in order to search for clerical employment, but as the boy showed much promise, the worthy Headmaster perthat he might secure one of the two Queen's

his professional du les, but has likewise been one of the foremost to take part in all public demonstrations for the welfare of the community. Leatly, the highest ambition to which a man can aspire in a Grown Colony, viz., to be a mamber of the Legislative Council, has been attained by him. This is a bright example of what perseverande and ability out do. Let me hope Hongkong may some day be able to boast in a similar manner, and thus prove that the Scholarships so liberally awarded by the British Government are not money ill-

rafflesian.

spent .- Yours.

DEPRESSION IN THE PACIFIC. The Spanish Consul courteously sends us the following telegram :-

Binondo, Aug. 28, 7.52 p.m. There is another depression in the Pacific

to the E. of Luzon. The following was issued by the Hong-

kong Observatory :-On the 29th at 1,20 a., Two lanterns hoisted vertically. At 11.55 a., The depression appears to be situated to the N.W. of Bolingo. Forecast :-- barometer falling moderate N. and N.E. winds, probably incrossing : unsettled, squally, some rain. On the 29th, at 4.50 p., Red Drum

SUPREME COURT.

IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION. (Before Mr A. G. Wise, Acting Puisne Judge.)  $\cdot$ Thursday 29th Aug.

CONTRACTS 'MADE IN GERMANY.' Wessel sued Carlowitz and Co. for \$1000 as damages for breach of contract and wrongful dismissal. Mr H. J. Holmes appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr H. J.

appeared for the defendants. must be given. He had now been dismissunderstand that he need not begin work for a few days; but on the second day he got a letter from Mr Sachse, head of the firm, complaining that he had not started work. Mr Wessel found, on inquiring,

that Mr Sachse had gone to Canton and left nobody in charge to give orders ----His Lordship-I cannot believe thatcharge. It would be absurd.

was nothing to be said about work----

valuable paper for another complaint days. Mr Holmes-I shall submit to your

> His Lordship-The Sunday Cargo Working Ordinance does not apply to offices. -Mr Holmes went on to discuss the next nothing whatever to do with the cause of day, Monday, which was a bank holiday.

> His Lordship-But what has a bank he know what Mr Sachse did? Mr Sachse holiday to do with a German firm? At any rate, even if it was a mistake to |\_\_\_\_ or gross negligence such as would entitle what Mr Tarabochia said. the firm to dismiss him summarily. There were certain definite circumstances that in writing. would entitle employers to dismiss a servant

Mr G. P. Lummert was sworn as German

(Agreement produced.) Mr Gedgo—It is not stamped.

if you want to sue on it. Mr Sachse, who introduced him to his social position also was rained by the which the Kucheng massacre was con- prem. No business in other Bank stock to one of the clorks, Mr Jesumann, Club affair. and then said 'You had better take a look round Hongkong, and make of that, yourself acquainted with the ways of the him that it was not necessary to begin work | situation. besides himself, Mr Glissmann; and Mr emount of difficulty he may have now. Jesumann said 'One of you will have to Witness, continuing, said that Mr Jesu-

him in the Kowloon hotel. Up to that by the sampan or jipricksha. with friends, until the ship left. The with Mr Backrach? letter was from Mr Sachar. Witness at once Str.-I learn with much pleasure and bwent to the German Club and saw Mr possible bearing on the case. Jesumann, and asked him to speak to Mr. Witness-It does not belong to this case, Sachse and excuse witness' attendance at and I will not answer. vate affairs to attend to. Mr Jesumann answer. said that would be all right, and that Mr | is Lardship-If the witness refuses to

witness saw Mr Sachse at the office, in the other side, it will count very much against afternoon; did not go in the morning be- him. cause he understood he was excused. In the afternoon he went, but there was Backrach to ask Mr Jesumann whether nothing for him to do. Witness on one Jesumann had promised the plaint if not to occa ion got \$50 from the compradore; he tell Mr Sachse that the plaintiff had been asked Mr Jesumann about money, and Mr seen by Mr Jesumann on the Pressen Jesumann said 'There is already something again?

on Sundays?—No. to work on Sundays before he came to this business,

Witness said that in the botter class firms in Germany there was no Sunday labiut. an answer, which was translated as ful- Monday or Tuesday; that he could have lows -- 5th August, 3 p.m .- I must out worked, but was onjoying himself instead. iess I am vory surprised at your be- When Dr Gerlach came to examine his haviour; you have plenty of time to eyes, witness admitted that he had been go to the Club but no time to come enjoying himself pretty well. to the office. Please dome at once. The Mr Gedge-Did Dr Gericch and you on office was then clused, and so he could not! Wednesday? go. He went back to K wioon. He had an attack of fever, with pain in the eyes, and I refuse point-blank to answer. Next morning it was so bud that he had to | send for me licine. He got som a lotton, tell him not to be atupid ! and expected to have a doctor sent, but no dobtor came. On the evening of the 6th on the Wednesday, and found the eyes

not begun work yet; and moreover you thought this was because the doctor had have drawn money from the compradore in not known him long. Witness further infringement of your contract and of Ger- | complained of weakness, less of appetite, man law; and your contract must be con- and trembling of the hand; to which Dr sidered at an end. Of course you are Gerlach replied, 'Oh, I bear you have been of the 7th inst., an accomplished fact, and responsible for all the debts you have con- "going it" lately, and that explains it ? tracted.' Witness wrote in reply next day | Witness thought the doctor was preju-

'I beg to inform you that I thought my- diced by hearsay. to the extent I did, by your own request, had never had so much liquor as to interto get somewhat acquainted with life in fere with his capacity for work. He al-Hongkong, and that it did not particularly | ways drank Carlowitz & Co.'s beer (loud matter what time I should enter on my laughter in Court) which was very mild. duties. Should I have given your words Could not say how much of it would ina wrong interpretation, on account of my toxicate a man. ignorance of local business and social cusmoney might be got from the com- what you have to say. referring to the head; and if I am not mis-

Sachse would have nothing to do with him. | tract! In the afternoon of that day he got a reply Gedge (Messra Johnson, Stokes and Master) saying 'We have to note the shifty way in which you quote for your own ends the Mr Holmes stated that the claim had expressions of others, and even try to been reduced to \$1000 in order to bring it | defend you self with false impressions. It in this court. It had originally been a is a disfiguration of the truth to say that claim of \$1400, being one year's salary. Mr | Mr Sachse should have said to you that it tract with Carlowitz and Co., the first year's | duty. What he said was that, being mail salary being \$1 400, the second \$1,500, and day, we were very busy that day and the third \$1,700. One clause provided | did not want to get you to work just end of the three years in case his work was kong until after the mail. Glissmann in not satisfactory; but six months' notice | the right and natural interpretation came on the afternoon of the next

Lordship that Sunday is not a day for ing member, by Mr Jesuman and Mr gool delivery of condemned men awaiting Tarabochia, but his name was now erased. because Mr Sachse had used his influence.

can be called. Mr Holmes submitted that in the absence Mr Holmes-Well, your name is crased :

claim so much, it was not gross misconduct Mr Godge-I of ject to any statement of Witness said he was not told verbally but

His Lordship-You are making things summarily; and no such justification exist- presty bad for your clique officends, Mr European Powers once for all must make Holmes.

Gedge, that Mr Jesumann came to see him | In all cases, Consuls or Legation officials, Friedrich Wessel, described himself as a on board the Preussen on the Thursday with a competent staff of interpreters, report for to-day's mail, say:merchant, and stated the hed entered morning, but did not say 'Come to the should sit on the enquiry as assessors. into an agreement with Carlowitz & Co. office this afternoon, or to-morrow morning They should exercise independent investiat the latest,' Witness did not say he was going on a picnic next day, nor did he ask His Lordship-I must impound it for Jesumann to tell Mr Sachse so. Was not the present, and you must get it stamped able to remember all these things distinctly; never expected they were to come to Witness went on to say that in accord- be weighed in the scales of justice, and so ance with the agreement, he left Germany did not take particular note. But he had for Hongkong via Genoa, arriving here on asked asveral people, and they all told him the 31st July (Wednesday) about n on, or that the way Carlowitz and Co. had disrather one o'clock. At four o'clock he pre- missed him would make it impossible for sented himself at Carlowitz office and saw him to get on anywhere in the East, and

Mr Holmes—As a matter of fact he has place.' Witness distinctly understood from made inquiries and cannot get another absent, and that the rioters held they had \$74, and Yangtezes have been placed at the

for a few days. In the agreement it was His Lordship-But you are claiming a In fact beyond an occasional writing of an enquired for at \$22 and \$221, but we have stipulated that the firm would find quarters specific sum under the clause of your confor witness; there was another new man tract, and that was nothing to do with the advising the giving of protection to the

stay in a hotel.' About five o'clock on mann came to him on the Preussen on Thursday Mr Jesumann took witness to Thurs ay. Could not remember if they that it is not the intention of the Chiuese the Kowloon hotel and engaged a room for | tiffined together there. Did not remember | officials to ward off attacks by natives on him there, in the name of Carlowitz and Co. | being told to come to the off to in the after-On Friday (2nd August) witness did not go noon. Did not remember telling Jesumann to work, being under the impression that he he was going away to see the Preussen off was not wanted until Monday or Turaday. on Friday and would return with the pilot. In the evening of that day (8 p.m., Friday, Did not return with the pilot, but left the August 2) he found a letter waiting for steamer in the dock and came back either

time he had stayed on board the steamer, Mr Gedge - Have you discussed this case Mr Holmes-I must submit this has no

the office on Saturday, as he had a me pri- Mr Gedge-Excuse me, you have to

Sashae had gone to Canton. On Saturday answer, and any evidence is put in on the

due to you for the voyage; if you want any! The question had to be put three times

more, you can got it from the compradure | before it was clear enough to be followed. tical tutelage that she ought now and hencewithout troubling to refer to Mr Sachso.' and then it was negatived. Witness went He thought Mr Tarabochia was present on on to say that he had made the acquaint- forth to occupy. ance of a man called Petersen, who kept a Mr Holmes-Did you doubt for a mo- restaurant in the west part of the town ; ment, or had you any reason to believe it did not know if Petersen was pilot of the LADY-It is strange that a strong man like was the practice of German firms to work Preusen. On Friday evening witness saw you cannot get work. The Tramp-Well. Jeanmann, and asked him about getting yer see, mum, people wants reference from His Lordship-I suppose he always had excused for Saturday on account of private me last employer, and he's been dead twen-

Mr Gedgo-What business ! Witness-It was my own affair.

Witness This was after the dismissal His Lordship (to the interpreter) -Oh, very !!! Witness admitted that Dr Gerlach, dama

he got a letter, which was translated as almost all right and expressed the opinion W. Rolltreon and Co. are Special Agents follows- Though it is now the 6th August, | that, there was nothing to interfere with for all the leading English and Continental and you arrived on the Blat July, you have witheas going on with his work. Witness Pinnologie Manufacturers,

His Lordship-As a matter of fact, Mr toms. I beg to apologise and express my re- Holmes, I may as well tell you my view. gret. In any case, neither this complaint | that this is altogether irrelevant. The man nor the other one (about raising advances may have go drunk every night in his from the compradore) is a breach of con- life or may not; but what you have to look tract or of German law, for I ascertained at is that he did not go to the office in the that they should consent to pay an extra from Mr Jesumann and Mr Tarabochia that day time. Why did he not go? That is

pradore without reference to the head Mr Holmes said he merely wished to reof the firm. In all mercantile houses I but the insinuations as to plaintiff's general method of its collection) on every pikul of have known, monthly advances are to be conduct and character. At any rate he was Foreign opium landed at Shangbai. had from the cashier without need of entitled to six months' notice of dismissal. His Lordship-Yes, on the contract; but taken it is so stated in my contract.' There is always the common-law light of a was no answer to this; next day (8th) he | master to dismiss a servant for gross miswent to the office to see Mr Sachse, but Mr | conduct or disobedience apart from con-

Case adjourned.

THE FARCE AT KUCHENG.

Although the situation has undergone change since the Hongkong correspondent Wessel came out under a three year's con- did not matter what time you commenced of the Singapore Pres telegraphed the the detriment of the Foreign article, already Mr W. G. Allen refusal of the Chinese officials to admit the Foreign Consuls to the Courts of Enquiry that Wessel could be dismissed before the then, so you could look about Hong- at Kucheng, some of the remarks of our contemporary, as given below, still apply :--

The special telegram which we publish ed without notice, and, as submitted, with- day. But you have acted perversely to day (20th inst.) respecting the situation out cause. He was, on arrival, given to throughout. On Friday, complaint was at Kucheng, the scene of the recent dastardmade to you about not coming; but you ly massacres of a few unoffending English took no notice. Even on Saturday you did folk, woman, for the most part, and childnot come, but you took advantage of Mr ren, is calculated to cause some apprehen-Sachse's absence to get \$55 from the com- sion that there is about to arise a period of pradore, in defiance of the terms of contract serious relations between the Chinese Govthat no employee can draw more than he ernment and Britain. When similar outhas enrued of his salary. On Monday rages have occurred satisfaction of some (5th) you wrote a chit, on a German Club sort has been forthcoming in the shape of that the head of a firm left nobody in memo form, at 3 p.m., to Mr Sachse to of a money compensation and the execuexcuse you for Monday. Mr Sachse re- tion, perhaps, of two or three unfortunate Mr Holmes submitted that that was quested you to come, but you did not. On wretches who may or may not have been Mr Holmes submitted that that was quested you to come, but you are made of the latter fact no proper the effect that owing to large sums of Mr W. Krumme Mr R. L. Thomas how the plain iff understood, right or Tuesday you pretend to be sick, but when evidence has been addited and it has been money being manted for military mr. Mr and Mrs Lindsay Mr G. C. Turner wrong. Then on the third day he went Dr Gerlach and Bischoff went to see you evidence has been addited and it has been money being wanted for military purposes Master Linding to the office, but was not given any they f and you out. Only yesterday we the practice to take for granted that the the Heien had been repeatedly instructed to work to do; nobody instructed him about got the bill from the Hongkong Hotel, heads that fell were the heads of the guilty. call on the heads of the guild concerned to anything of I Mr Sachse being absent, \$11. 0 for three bettles of hock and apolmr Wessel went away again. The fol- lineris and cigars on your account; we ment with official connivence; that no real continue change and it was proposed that such sub- Mr J. W. Bolles Mr Wessel went away ig in. The fol- infinite and cigats of your account, we will not withdraw lowing day being Sunday, of course there shall not pay it. We will not withdraw diligence was displayed in the enquiry; that Chinese shape selling asserted asigns the Dr. F. H. Bowers Mr S. T. Moore the notice of dismissal sent to you on the diligence was displayed in the enquiry; that Chinese shops selling prepared opium, the His Lordship—I don't know about that 6th.' It was not true that witness had the enquiry itself, being entirely in the incidence of the charge falling on the His Lordship—I don't know about that out. It was not proposed the firm; only from the stall; I don't know what is the practice of drawn money from the firm; only from the cognisant of the circumstances under which contemporary was in any way contemplated and it. Miss Cognisant of the circumstances under which contemporary was in any way contemplated and it. the German offices here. I know there are compradore, not from Carlowitz. He was the outrages were perpetrated, was a hole would not effect the contemplated, and it Mr R. P. Dipple the German offices here. I know there are comprante, now the comprante, and the first the outrages were perpetrated, was a holeman would not effect the opium merchants in the Mr. P. Dipple many offices where work is done on Sun- ready to begin work on Thursday if re- low farce; and that the unlucky Chinamen elighbert degree quired, but was not required. He had low farce; and that the unlucky Chinamen slightest degree. been put up at the German Club as a visit- who were decapitated constituted a mere the sword for crimes altogether different from the outrages for which Britain sought satisfaction. Public opinion in Shanghai of prepared opium, but do not propose to Mrs Geo. Holmes Mr Gedge-I object to this. It has and Hongkong has already declared itself as to the illusory character of action, and it is not evidence. How can these official investigations and the fictitious and probably quite vicarious charac- and foreign products equally. The authoter of the executions that are the vindi- rities here consider that the action will not cution of the so-called trials. It is time, | detrimentally affect the trade in Indian it is loudly demanded, that an end be put opium, but it seems probable that rumours Mons. A. Brault to farces of the kind, that substantial of the tax have been somewhat responsible guarantees be secured for the validity of for the recent fall which occurred in the the enquiries in such cases, and that the sales of opium in this country. Whether

tisfaction of the aggrieved Power. That is carry out the scheme successfully remains to the just demand of the European commu- be seen. nities of the China Coast ports, and the up their minds to put an end to a pretence Witness went on to say, in reply to Mr of taking a burlesque government seriously. entions and make arrests, and, if they should think fit, should be empowered to transfer the scene of trial to the monrest treaty port, requiring the presence there of whatever Chimee officials they desire to examine. In all cases escorts from foreign gun boats or the Hongkong garcison should 177, and 176 per cent., prem.; at time of OPIUM-New Patns, cash,... 6974/703 accompany the foreign representatives writing, however, the market is firmer with making investigations at the scene of the sales and buyers at 177 to 178 per cent., outrage, and to this there should never be prem. Transactions for December have an exception. The entirely open way in been put through at 187 to 188 per cent., ducted by a mob moving in procession [report. His Lordship-Oh, I cannot take notice with banners flying and horne blowing, proves clearly enough that what should correspond to a police force was entirely nothing to fear from the local magistrates, improved rate of \$103. Straits have been official despatch to Governors of provinces, heard of no sales. foreigner dwelling inland, no real protection whatever is accorded. What foreign Governments must do now is to assume mission stations, and on the property and

lives of foreigners; but on the other hand to take for granted that all outrages are carried out with official connivance, tacit The grave part of to-day's telegram is that which states that the foreign Consuls have been actually refused admittance to what the Chinese officials are good enough to style the 'trials' at Kuchong In other words the Chinese officials decline to allow ket ut that rate. Luzons have changed the sole guarantee that this investigation is hands again at \$45. not, like all its producessors, a farce and a sham. Lord Salisbury has declared that if | dull and weak. Punjoms and Balmorals China showed any negligence or lukewarm. ness in punishing the guilty persons further steps would be taken by Britain to enforce satisfaction. To our mind this denial of Mr Gedge-Did the plaintiff ask Mr access of foreign consuls to the investigation constitutes an obstructive attitude that wil be held by the British Foreign Office to justify the taking of these 'further staps.' The sooner the better. What Japan has b gun by war Britain can finish by political pressure of the right sort, and we may goon see China reduced to that position of poli-

THE London correspondent of the Glasgow

The rest of the afternoon was occupied Traveling Street Singer-Can I sing quarters reference is, I observe, made to As to Monday, he heard it was a holiday by close cross-examination of the plaintiff, here? Officer - Didn't I hear you singing the large saving which will directly result by law, and no work was to be done. That | tending to show that he had deliberately | a few days ago? 'Yes.' 'Well, I'm not day he wrote asking to be excused work I announced his intention of having a plea- what you might call a critic, but from my bridge. It may be well to point out that at 8 p.m. in the German Club he got and time and not beginning work until slight knowledge of music I should asy no.

> FRIEND (at a Fronch play).-Why did you appland so vigorously when that comedien made his speech before the curtain? Spriggs (confidentially)—So folks would think I understood. What did he say? Friend-Ho said the remainder of his part must be taken by an understudy, as he felt

THE EXTRA TAX ON OPIUM.

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In the opinion of the Calcutta traders the Cambridge remained.' extra tax on opium is, says the Englishman only requires the enforcing effect of an edict. The following correspondence, now published thing about you that I like.' self authorised to stay away from the office | In reply to Mr Holmes, witness said he for the first time, throws fresh light on the subject, and shows that an attempt is being made to evade the treaty by calling the tax a 'aubscription';-

> To G. Jamieson, Esq., H.B.M. Consul-General, Shanghai, 2nd July, 1895. fact that it has come to our notice that the on my desk is a trifle small, but it's very Taotai, acting, we believe, under instructions ornamental. Oh, Josiah, you dreadful from H.E. the Viceroy at Nanking, has man, you've ruined my new bonnet!" intimated to the Opium Guild his intention Tax Tls. 10-20 (the exact amount has not as yet been definitely decided upon, nor are we fully acquainted with the proposed

> We, the undersigned importers of this commodity, beg to protest most emphatical-ly against this illegal action on the part of be obliged to postpone our departure. ly against this illegal action on the part of the Chinese authorities in attempting to impose this tax, and to point out that it is on- RACHALS' PIANOS-The finest in the World tirely contrary to the terms of the additional articles to the agreement between Great W. Robinson and Co. Britain and Chine, signed at London on the 18th of July, 1885, and especially to clause 5, to which we would particularly draw your attention. We would further point out that if this tax were imposed the consumption of Native opium would be stimulated much to suffering severely from the effects of the Mr and Mrs W. S. Mies McClutchie competition with the under-taxed Nativegrown opium, which is undoubtedly slowly Mr J. S. Black

but surely ousting out of the market the Mr E. W. Blodgett trade in which we are engaged. We would, therefore, beg to request you Mr W. J. Canter to be kind enough to communicate with the Mr L. de Castro Native authorities informing them that the Mr W. A. Duff action in attempting to impose an additional Mr J. M. Elliott tax on foreign opium can under no circum- Mr H. Gape stances be carried out, being entirely in op- Mr & Mrs J. Glassoy Mc A. H. Rennic position to the terms of the treaties, and | Mr.F. W. Hall highly prejudical to the interests of the un- | Mr C. Harris dereigned merchants, who are very largely Mr R. J. Hastings interested in the Foreign opium trade.

(Then follow signatures.) In reply, a letter was received from Liu Acting Castoms Superintendent, to M: Jamieson, Shanghai, dated July, 1895, to Mr W. Krumme

Two days latter, the Englishman says the Mr Hein information received here (Simla) points to Mrs L. Hoey and 2Mr and Mrs A. Findthe fact that the Chinese are contemplating an excise tax on opium, on the consumption Mr Geo. Holmes levy any additional Customs tax on opium imported from India. There is no objection Mr Andrew JohnstonMr G. Wheeler under the treaty to China taxing both home Major and Mrs G. K.Mr H. Wilson accused shall be tried judicially to the satisfie Chinese Government will be able to

HONGKONG SHARE MARKET. Messes Chater and Vernon, in their share | Mr E. Kern

Rates have still forther risen and market | Mr M. W. Lake closes firm in all the chief stocks. A fair Mrs Lehman business has been put through during the Mr A. P. Morgan week under review.

Banks. - Hongkong and Shanghais showed some weakness in the early part of the week and shares changed hands at 179,

Marine Instrunces.—Unions have ruled isteady without sales at \$180. Traders have improved to \$75 after sales at \$73 and

Fire Insurances .- Both Chinas and Hong. kougs have ruled steady at quotation with small sales.

Shipping .- Hongkong, Canton, and Macaos, after reling steady during the early part of the week at \$822 to \$85, suddenly came into favour and shares changed hands at \$3 1, \$331, and \$34, market closing steady at latter rate. Douglas's have improved to \$55 with sules at that and \$54 and \$541. Sellers at \$55 rule the market at time of writing. Other shipping stock has been neglected.

Refinerics. -- Salos of China Sugars are reported at \$103, but sellers rule the mar-

Mining.-The market has ruled very have been on continual offer at quotations without finding buyers. A small lot of Charbonnages have changed hands at \$110 and more could be placed at the same rate. Miscellaneous .- Docks, which ruled weak at the early part of the week, close firm

with sales at 105 per cent., prom., and look like improving further. Lands after sales at \$60, \$61, and \$62, close in demand at latter rate with no sellors under \$63. Watsons have found buyers at \$101; Fenwicks at \$18, \$19, and \$20: Tramways at \$85; and Green Islands at \$10 and \$101.

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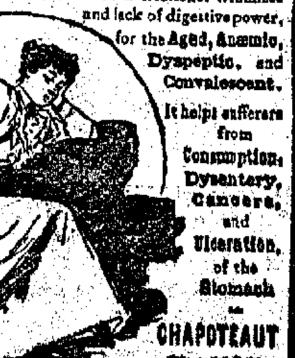
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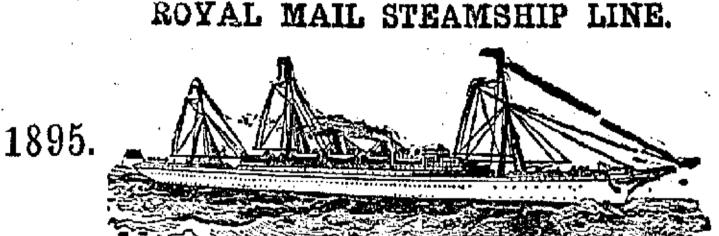
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